

In re Appl. of Krupa
Application No. 09/759,875
Reply to Office Action of May 12, 2003

Listing of Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Claims 15-64 (canceled)

Claim 65 (currently amended): A single-layer label having a first side and a second side where the second side attaches directly to ~~for use on a~~ surface of a pharmaceutical container, wherein contents of the pharmaceutical container are represented by a symbol on the container, the single-layer label comprising

a first portion having an outer boundary;

a second portion extending out and away from the outer boundary of the first portion;

and

an indicium inscribed on the second portion, wherein the indicium identifies at least a pharmaceutical that has been prescribed to a patient, and wherein the indicium is adjacent to and aligned with the symbol so as to allow the symbol and the indicium to be scanned together by a detector in order to confirm that the prescribed pharmaceutical matches the actual contents.

Claim 66. (currently amended) The single-layer label of claim 65, wherein the single-layer label is a first label and wherein the symbol is printed on a second label affixed to the container.

Claim 67. (currently amended) The single-layer label of claim 65, wherein the symbol is printed on the container.

Claim 68. (currently amended) The single-layer label of claim 65, wherein the first portion and second portion are generally rectangular in shape, the second portion extending out and away from a side of the first portion, wherein the side of the second portion that is

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contiguous with the first portion is shorter in length than the entire side of the first portion from which the second portion extends.

Claim 69. (currently amended) The single-layer label of claim 65, wherein the second portion extends outward from a corner of the first portion.

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Claim 70. (currently amended) The single-layer label of claim 65, wherein the second portion and symbol are shaped so that the second portion may cover part of the symbol while allowing for simultaneous scanning by a detector.

Claim 71. (currently amended) The single-layer label of claim 65, wherein the symbol and the indicium are bar codes, and the detector is a bar code scanner.

Claim 72. (currently amended) The single-layer label of claim 65, wherein the first portion contains information regarding the prescription.

Claim 73. (currently amended) The single-layer label of claim 65, wherein at least part of the label is transparent.

Claim 74. (currently amended) The single-layer label of claim 65, wherein the indicium is a checksum of the symbol.

Claim 75. (currently amended) The single-layer label of claim 74, wherein the checksum includes a checkdigit of the checksum.

Claims 76-90 (canceled)